



## Cromwell

LADIES' SEMINARY,  
Enniscort-street.

MRS WILKINSON,  
Having opened the above-mentioned Establishment, trusts that by perseverance, and strict attention to her pupils, she may merit continued patronage.

The Course of Study comprises Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Plain and Ornamental Needlework; with oral lessons on the Globes, Geography, Grammar, and History. Accomplishments: Music, French, and Drawing.

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FREE TRADE BUTCHERY,  
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JAMES DAWKINS - PROPRIETOR.

A supply of Beef, Mutton, Veal, Pork, Hams, Bacon, &c., always on hand.

Meat delivered at Town Prices throughout the district.

BEEF, BY THE QUARTER, 3d per lb.



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A supply of Meat of all descriptions always on hand, and sold at the Lowest Prices.

KARL PRETSCH,  
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Has now PAPERHANGINGS, PAINTS of every description, GLASS, and MOULDINGS, on Sale at Low Prices.

Contracts undertaken for General Painting, Decoration, and Sign Writing.

Buggies and Vehicles of every description painted in the best style.

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Address: Next door but one to MARSH'S BRIDGE HOTEL. CROMWELL.



F. SANSOM, SADDLER  
AND  
HARNESS-MAKER,

Begs to inform the public that he is carrying on business at the Premises lately occupied by Mr Raven, in Cromwell, and trusts, by strict attention and moderate charges, to merit the public patronage.

Collars, Pack-saddles, and Harness of every description made in the premises.

Repairs done on the shortest notice.

BELFAST STORE,  
CLYDE AND CROMWELL.

WINES, SPIRITS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE COLONIAL PRODUCE,  
&c. &c. &c.

JAMES HAZLETT

Begs to inform the Public of the Dunstan District that, in connection with his established business of ten years at Clyde, he has opened EXTENSIVE PREMISES AT CROMWELL, where he will be able to supply the Trade, Runholders, Farmers, and Private Families, with EVERY CLASS OF GOODS, of the very best description, at the lowest current rates.

JAMES HAZLETT would particularly mention that in the FLOUR & COLONIAL PRODUCE BUSINESS he can defy competition, as in that line he is in connection with Messrs WHITTINGHAM BROTHERS, of Queenstown, who are the largest buyers in the Lake District.

JAMES HAZLETT, being a CASH BUYER in the Dunedin and Melbourne Markets, feels confident he can sell the cheapest and best article in the District, and invites a visit from Purchasers.

Note the address:

JAMES HAZLETT,  
CLYDE AND CROMWELL.

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JUNCTION COMMERCIAL HOTEL,  
CROMWELL

JOSEPH HARDING begs to intimate that he has purchased from Mr G. W. GOODGER the above large and centrally-situated Hotel, and is now in a position to offer accommodation of a superior description to all who may favor him with their patronage.

His past experience in the WINE and SPIRIT trade, will he trusts, be sufficient guarantee that the Spirits and Malt Liquors served will be as pure as on the day they left the vintner or the distillery.

The BEDROOMS, PRIVATE PARLORS, &c., are fitted up in the best style, and every attention will be paid to secure the comfort and convenience of visitors.

Large and Comfortable

BILLIARD ROOM,  
Fitted with one of Alcock's Tables.

Particular attention has been paid to the STABLES

In connection with the Hotel, and the public may rely on

Every Care being taken of their HORSES.

MEALS ready at ALL HOURS of the day.

J. HARDING.

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CROMWELL

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N.B.—GOOD STABLING.

BEFORE purchasing your WATCHES, CLOCKS, and JEWELLERY, call on

E. MURRELL,

and inspect his CHOICE STOCK of the above articles.

As all his Watches and Clocks are TAKEN TO PIECES, CLEANED, and ADJUSTED before they are delivered, Customers may depend on getting an article that will give satisfaction.

All kinds of WATCHES, CLOCKS, and MUSICAL BOXES cleaned and repaired.

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THE NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY,

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Are now prepared to undertake the INSURANCE FROM FIRE of every description of property, and to GUARANTEE THAT ALL LOSSES WILL BE PROMPTLY AND LIBERALLY SETTLED BY THEMSELVES, thus avoiding the delay, anxiety, and inconvenience occasioned by Agents having to consult Boards of Directory and others at a distance.

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AGENT FOR CROMWELL,

DUNCAN MACKELLAR.

CLYDE—G. FACHIE.

VICTORIA FIRE AND GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL.....£2,200,000.

which removes GALLENSTEIN & CO.,

AGENTS,

CROMWELL.

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PLASHETTS COLLIERY,  
(adjoining Richards's Ferry.)

DAGG, PRIMATE, & BENNETT,  
COAL MERCHANTS,  
CROMWELL,

Are now supplying HOUSEHOLD COAL of very superior quality at current prices,—viz., 20s. per ton at the pit, or 32s. per ton delivered.

The seam of coal in the PLASHETTS COLLIERY is admittedly the best ever opened in the district, and the proprietors confidently solicit a share of public patronage.

Regular Customers may depend upon being kept constantly supplied.

CHARLES COLCLOUGH,  
SHAREBROKER, COMMISSION AGENT,  
ARBITRATOR, AND ACCOUNTANT,  
CROMWELL.

Having arranged to devote my time exclusively to these occupations, business entrusted to my care will receive every attention.

M R. H. W. SMYTHIES,  
MINING SURVEYOR AND AGENT.

Legal Management & REGISTRATION of Companies undertaken.

Office: Town Hall, Cromwell.

M R. L. A. K. E.,  
SURGEON, CROMWELL,

may be consulted at the premises adjoining Mr

C. W. WRIGHT's, baker and confectioner.

JULES LA FONTAINE,  
WHEELWRIGHT,

Begs to inform the public that he will be at Cromwell three days in each week,—MONDAY, TUESDAY, and WEDNESDAY; when he will be prepared to execute all orders and repairs with which he may be intrusted.

During the rest of the week, he will be at Clyde.

Premises in Cromwell:  
Opposite the Bank of New South Wales.

CROMWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Reading-room is open to Subscribers on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays.

The Library contains an extensive variety of Books in every department of literature; and about £60 worth of New Works is expected to arrive shortly from Great Britain.

All the Provincial Newspapers, and a number of English Papers and Periodicals, are regularly received for the use of Subscribers.

Annual Subscription, £1 1s; Half-Yearly 12s 6d; Quarterly, 7s 6d.

## NOTICE.

WE, the undersigned, beg to inform the inhabitants of the Cromwell, Alexandra, and Clyde districts that we have appointed

I. Hallenstein and Co., Cromwell,

As our only AGENTS for the sale of our Silk-

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FLOUR, BRAN, AND POLLARD.

We guarantee all Flour branded with our name, and obtained through the above agents.

ROBERTSON & HALLENSTEIN,  
Brunswick Flour Mills,  
LAKE WAKATIPU.

## NOTICE.

POISON for DOGS will be laid on MOUNT PISA STATION on and after this late.

I. LOUGHNAN.

Mount Pisa, 12th May 1870.—27te

## Bannockburn

WILLIAM SUTHERLAND & CO.,  
(Late of Logantown),

GENERAL BLACKSMITHS & FARRIERS,

Beg to intimate to Mining Companies and the public generally that they have removed to QUARTZVILLE, next to HAZLETT's Carrick Range Hotel, where they hope, by strict attention to business, and reasonable charges, to merit

a share of their patronage.

## Bannockburn

S T U A R T'S F E R R Y,  
KAWARAU RIVER.



Main crossing-place between Cromwell and the Nevis for Waggons, Drays, Horses, and Foot passengers.

Children attending School, Free

## THE FERRY HOTEL

Has first-class accomodation for Travellers

B ANNOCKBURN HOTEL & STORE,  
DOCTOR'S FLAT, BANNOCKBURN,  
(On the Main Road to the Nevis).

GROCERIES, CLOTHING, BOOTS, and HOUSEHOLD REQUISITES of all descriptions kept in Stock.

The Goods, being obtained DIRECT from Dunedin, are retailed at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

N.B.—Good Stabling, Horse Feed, &c.

The new Ferry being now OPEN FOR TRAFFIC, the Public are invited to cross the Kawarau River on the

BEST PUNT IN THE PROVINCE, which is on the direct road to Bannockburn, the Nevis, and the Carrick Range Reefs.

John Richards - Proprietor

BANNOCKBURN TIMBER YARD AND CARPENTER'S SHOP.

JAMES TAYLOR,  
CROMWELL TIMBER AND IRON YARD,

Begs to inform the Residents of BANNOCKBURN, NEVIS, POTTERS, &c., that in order to meet the increasing requirements of those districts, has opened a Branch Establishment at Doctor's Flat, opposite Mr Richards' Store.

A good supply of TIMBER and IRON Building and Mining purposes always on hand.

Best Material and Workmanship Cheap for Contractors.

CARRICK RANGE HOTEL, QUARTZVILLE,

(In the immediate vicinity of the Carrick Range)

THOMAS HAZLETT - Proprietor.

Having purchased from Mr JOHN MC CORVIE the above well-known and centrally-situated Hotel, I am now in a position to offer first-class accommodation to all who may favour me with their patronage.

The Premises are fitted up and furnished in the most complete scale, regardless of expense, and the arrangements for the comfort of visitors and travellers are second to none in the district.

COMMODIOUS BILLIARD ROOM, fitted with one of Julius Paser's full-sized tables.

An excellent SIX-STALLED STABLE in the premises, and a careful groom always in attendance.

126 T. HAZLETT

BANNOCKBURN COAL MINES, LOGAN & SMITH, COAL MERCHANTS.

Having obtained a lease of the above well-known Coal Works, beg to inform the residents at Bannockburn, Carrick Range, Reddick, Kawarau Gorge, and throughout the district, that they are prepared to SUPPLY (in any quantity) COAL of excellent qua-

lity at 15s. per ton taken from the pit's mouth, or delivered, 1s 9d per bag and upwards according to distance.

N.B.—Drays leave the Bannockburn, Cromwell twice a week. Loading car-

back on reasonable terms.

## Bendigo

**JOSIAH MITCHINSON,**  
Wholesale and Retail  
**STOREKEEPER,**  
WINE, SPIRIT, AND PROVISION MERCHANT,  
WAKEFIELD STORE,  
(Near Cromwell Quartz Co.'s Machine),  
BENDIGO.

GOODS DELIVERED  
At all parts of the Reefs.

BENDIGO POST OFFICE.

Interest at the rate of 12½ per cent charged on  
all accounts due over two months.

## Luggage

## ALBION HOTEL AND STORE

2½ miles from Cromwell, on the main road to  
Lake Wanaka.

H. MAIDMAN Proprietor.

This well-known Hotel possesses every accommodation for the comfort and convenience of travellers.

Groceries, Clothing, Drapery, Ironmongery  
Mining Tools, &c., &c., constantly on hand, at  
Cromwell prices.

## GOOD STABLING.

N.B.—District Post Office.

## Wanaka

## WANAKA HOTEL, PEMBROKE

The above hotel, which is delightfully situated on the margin of the Wanaka Lake, offers to the tourist and pleasure-seeker advantages rarely to be met with.

The scenery in the neighbourhood is exceedingly picturesque; and on an Island in the Lake there is excellent rabbit-shooting.

An excellent Four-stalled STABLE, and a PADDOCK, for horses.

THEODORE RUSSELL,

Proprietor.

## Alexandra

MANUHERIKIA BREWERY,  
ALEXANDRA

THEYERS & BECK beg to announce that they are prepared to supply their SPARKLING XXXX ALES in any quantity.

Delivered free of cartage within twenty miles.

Orders left with

Mr THEYERS, Alexandra;

Mr C. P. BECK, Clyde;

at the BREWERY, will be promptly attended to.

THEYERS AND BECK,

BREWERS,

ALEXANDRA.

## Nevis

HAVE never seen so GREAT A VARIETY of GOODS, and of such SUPERIOR QUALITY, anywhere else as is now ON SALE at the BRITISH STORES, NEVIS.

## Clyde

MEDICAL HALL, CLYDE,  
M. MARSHALL,  
CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST,  
SUNDERLAND-ST., CLYDE.

SUPPLIES Prescriptions carefully prepared.

BOOKSELLER, STATIONER, AND NEWS VENDER.

Importer of English, Foreign, and Colonial Newspapers and Magazines.

Libraries and Magazine Clubs supplied at a

## Queenstown

ROBERT BOYNE,  
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Queenstown, Lake Wakatip.

A large stock of Groceries and other goods always on hand. Importer of English and Colonial Newspapers. Orders punctually attended to, and newspapers forwarded to any part of the district.

Agent for the CROMWELL ARGUS.

[A CARD.]

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SALE ROOMS - BALLARAT-STREET,  
QUEENSTOWN.

OFFICE :

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## Arrowtown

R. P R I T C H A R D ,  
Wholesale and Retail Storekeeper,  
WINE, SPIRIT, AND PROVISION MERCHANT,  
ARROWTOWN.

The largest and best-assorted stock of Wines, Spirits, Groceries, and Provisions in the district.

A well-assorted stock of Boots and Shoes, Drapery, &c.

Agent for T. ROBINSON & Co., Agricultural Implement Manufacturers, Dunedin & Melbourne

## Miscellaneous

## ALBERTOWN RACES.

## PROGRAMME.

FIRST DAY—FRIDAY, 18th OCTOBER.

MAIDEN PLATE of 15 sovs. For all horses that have never won an advertised race. One mile. Weight for age. Entry, 20s. Post entry.

PUBLICANS' PURSE of 10 sovs. Three-quarter mile heats. No weight under 10st. Entry, 15s. Post entry.

ALBERTOWN HANDICAP of 30 sovs. Open to all horses,—to be handicapped by the Stewards, or whom they may appoint. Distance, two miles. Nomination, 15s.; acceptance, 20s.

HACK RACE of 5 sovs. For all untrained horses. One mile. Catch weights. Entry, 7s. 6d. Post entry.

SECOND DAY—SATURDAY, OCT. 19.

ELSWICK PLATE of 15 sovs. For three-year olds that have been for at least three months previous to the day of the races *bona fide* the property of residents within a radius of twenty-five miles from Albertown. Distance, one mile.

SHORTS, of 5 sovs. Half-mile heats, without dismounting. Catch weights. Entry, 7s. 6d.

CONSOLATION HANDICAP of — sovs. For all horses that have run and not won during the meeting.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The Dunstan Jockey Club Rules will be adhered to.

In all disputes arising out of the racing, the decision of the Stewards shall be final.

No one allowed to enter or nominate a horse unless he be a subscriber of at least £1 1s. to the race fund. No qualification for the Hack Race.

No one allowed to enter or nominate a horse not *bona fide* his own property, unless the qualification fee is paid for the actual owner also.

Three entries for each event, or no race.

Nominations for the Albertown Handicap, enclosing nomination and qualification money, to be sent in to the Secretary, Albertown, not later than 8 p.m. on the 16th October.

Weights to be declared on evening of the 17th.

Acceptances will be received up to 10 a.m.

on the first day of the races.

Racing to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

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THE ART PRESERVATIVE OF ALL ARTS.

## CROMWELL ARGUS

## General Printing Office

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In the most modern styles of the Art.

BOOK AND PAMPHLET WORK

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In endless variety of style.

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For Balls, Concerts, Lectures, Entertainments, Soires, &c. &c.

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NEWEST STYLES.

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Printed in New and Elegant Type,

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(Superior to Lithographed)

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SUPERB DESIGNS,

In Coloured Inks or Gold Bronze.

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Neatly printed and strongly bound.

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Prospectuses, Envelopes,

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*Dr. Bright's Phosphodine* — Multitudes of people are hopelessly suffering from Debility, Nervous and Liver complaints, depression of spirits & delusions, unfitness for business or study, failure of hearing, sight, and memory, lassitude, want of power, &c., whose cases admit of a permanent cure by the new remedy PHOSPHODINE (zomoxigen), which at once allays all irritation and excitement, imparts new energy and life to the enfeebled constitution, and rapidly cures every stage of these hitherto incurable and distressing maladies. Sold by all chemists and druggists throughout the colonies, from whom pamphlets containing testimonials may be obtained. Caution: Be particular to ask Dr. Bright Phosphodine, as imitations are abroad. Wholesale agents for New Zealand:—Kempthorne Prosser, & Co., Dunedin.

*Holloway's Pills* are a never-failing remedy for Dropsey—Mr Wellington Leake, Chemist, of St. Vincent who has sold an immense quantity of Holloway's Pills, certified from his own knowledge to be most extraordinary cure of dropsey, that has been effected upon a person residing in that island, & their use. The patient was so dreadfully affected, that, though he obtained the best medicine of the place, he derived no benefit; nothing seemed to reach the seat of his complaint until he took these celebrated Pills, which so effectually eradicated it from his system, that he is now as well as ever he was in his life.

## SELECT POETRY.

## THAT WALTZ OF VON WEBER.

(From the *Galaxy*)

Gaily and gaily rang the gay music,  
The blithe, merry music of harp and horn,  
The mad, merry music, that set us a dancing  
Till over the midnight came stealing the morn.

Down the great hall went waving the banners  
Waving and waving their red, white, and blue,  
As the sweet summer wind came blowing and  
blowing  
From the city's great gardens asleep in the dew

Under the flags, as they floated and floated,  
Under the arches and arches of flowers,  
We two and we two floated and floated  
Into the mystical midnight hours.

And just as the dawn came stealing and stealing,  
The last of those wild Weber waltzes began;  
I can hear the soft notes now appealing and  
pleading,  
And I catch the faint scent of the sandalwood fan

That lay in your hand, your hand on my  
shoulder.  
As down the great hall, away and away,  
All under the flags and under the arches,  
We danced and we danced till the dawn of the  
day.

But why should I dream o'er this dreary old  
leger,  
In this counting-room down in this dingy old  
street,  
Of that night or that morning, just there at the  
dawning,  
When our hearts beat in time to our fast-flying  
feet?

What is it that brings me that scent of enchant-  
ment,  
So fragrant and fresh from out the dead years,  
That just for a moment I'd swear that the music  
Of Weber's wild waltzes was still in my ears?

What is it, indeed, in this dusty old alley,  
That brings me that night or that morning in  
June?

What is it indeed?—I laugh to confess it—  
A hand-organ grinding a creaking old tune!

But somewhere or other I caught in the measure  
That waltz of Von Weber's, and back it all  
came,  
That night or that morning, just there at the  
dawning,  
When I danced the last dance with my first and  
last flame.

My first and my last! but who would believe me  
If down in this dusty old alley to-day  
Twixt the talk about cotton, the market and  
money,  
I should suddenly turn in some moment and say

That one memory only had left me a lonely,  
A grey-headed bachelor dreaming of June,  
Where the nights and the mornings, from the  
dusks to the dawnings,  
Seemed to set to the music of Weber's wild  
tune!

VARIETIES.

An old revolver—The earth. Hop culturists  
Dancing masters. The diseases from which  
our journalists most suffer—Rumour-tism.

A Western New York missung tardily made  
the remark in the family circle recently, "When  
gentlemen eat warm sugar, it gets into their  
moustaches and makes them scratchy." Her  
father is curious to know how she found it out.

An old lady at the West went to hear Emerson  
lecture, and liked him. The only drawback was  
that the subject announced in the papers was  
"Destiny," which she mistook for dentistry, and  
never discovered her error until too late to consider  
the production from that altered standpoint.

Revenge.—A woman's husband was persecuted  
to death by a creditor. She then married the  
creditor, and persecuted him to death in six  
months. Time at last sets all things even.

An American editor writes thus about a display  
of the Aurora Borealis:—"Last evening,  
as soon as Tithonus had retired for the night and  
was enjoying his first snooze, his spouse, the  
rosy-fingered Aurora, daughter of the mornin',  
snatched the saffron-coloured coverlet from his  
bed, and, wrapping it about her, danced a jig in  
the Northern sky."

An old bachelor recently gave utterance to the  
following *jeu d'esprit*. He was introduced to a  
beautiful widow of the same name as himself.  
The introduction was in this wise:—"Mr Evans,  
permit me to introduce you to Mrs. Evans."  
"Mrs. Evans!" exclaimed the spirituel bachelor;  
"the very lady I have been in search of for the  
last forty years!"

A charlatan once presented himself to a great  
nobleman who suffered cruelly from the gout  
and offered an infallible remedy. "How did  
you enter this town?" asked the nobleman.  
"On foot."—"Then be off with you; for if you  
really possessed such a remedy as you describe,  
you would long since have ridden in your coach  
and six."

On the 1st June, a youth named Kerky went  
to the shop of Mr Barrett, gunsmith, Newcastle-  
under-Lyme, to purchase a revolver. A six-  
chambered weapon was handed to him for inspec-  
tion, and Mr Barrett, having placed a cartridge  
in one of the chambers to show how it was loaded,  
turned to get another revolver or two for his  
customer to look at. While examining the one  
in his hand, the youth pulled the trigger upon  
the load chamber, and the bullet entered Mr  
Barrett's left side, glanced along a rib, and then  
travelled round towards the back. The bullet was  
shortly afterwards extracted. Mr Barrett will  
not again so readily entrust a youth with a  
loaded revolver.

## NEW ZEALAND SUB-MARINE GOLD MINING COMPANY.

Capital £20,000, in 4000 Shares of £5 each.

### SEE PROSPECTUS.

Intending Shareholders are requested to make early application.

CHARLES COLCLOUGH,  
Agent.

**£2 REWARD.—LOST,** on Kawarau Run, a Dark Bay MARE, branded S on near shoulder; like 511 on off shoulder. When last seen, had a leather strap on neck. The above reward will be paid on delivery to

WILLIAM TODD, Cromwell.

**£2 REWARD.—STRAYED,** from the Carrick Range, about three months ago, a Light Bay RIDING HORSE, with white snip on nose, and white on both hind feet; branded JS on near shoulder; supposed to have gone G towards the Nevis. The above reward will be paid to anyone giving information that will lead to the recovery of the horse.

JOSEPH SHIELD,  
Carrickton.

**NOTICE.**—It will be necessary for all those who have HORSES RUNNING on KAWARAU STATION, to REGISTER their BRANDS with the Manager at the Station; otherwise they will be impounded without further notice.

JAMES COWAN.

September 23, 1872.

**JUST ARRIVED,—A Large Lot of PAPERHANGINGS and FURNITURE; CHEFFONIERS, CHILDREN'S COTS, &c., &c.**

JAMES TAYLOR,  
Cromwell Timber Yard.

**J. C. CHAPPLE,  
AUCTIONEER.**

Any orders for Sales in the Cromwell District may be left at the ARGUS Office, and will meet with prompt attention.

**THE THOROUGHBRED STALLION ROEBUCK WILL STAND THIS SEASON**

AT THE

HAWEA LAKE STATION.

TERMS, £3 15s.

For further particulars apply to T. A. FRASER, Hawea Lake Station, Albertown; or at Earnsleugh Station, Clyde.

**EARL OF CARRICK.**  
The imported Clydesdale Stallion EARL OF CARRICK will stand for the season at POISON CREEK FARM, Wanaka Road.

Terms £3 10s.,  
to be paid at time of service.

**EARL OF CARRICK** (imported from Victoria) is a beautiful black horse, possessing great bone and substance; is eight years old, and stands 15 hands high. His stock can be seen at the owner's farm.

EARL OF CARRICK was bred at Mansfield, Victoria, by J. Steele, Esq., and was got by the famous horse Blackdog, which carried off thirty-one prizes, and never was beaten in Victoria. Earl of Carrick's dam,—a prize Clydesdale mare, imported from Scotland.

CHARLES HAIR, Proprietor,  
51-63. Poison Creek.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the STAR OF THE EAST QUARTZ MINING CO.'S REGISTERED OFFICE has been removed to CROMWELL.

Notice is also given that Mr D. MACKELLAR has been appointed LEGAL MANAGER for the Company, in room of Mr JAMES MARSHALL, resigned.

(Signed) ROBERT KIDD,  
Chairman of Directors of Star of the East Quartz Mining Company, Registered.

1st Oct. 1872.

**FOR SALE.**—The Nineteen-mile Creek WATER RACE, with Right to five heads of water, half way between Wanaka and Cromwell; together with HOUSE, BOAT, and MINING PLANT.—Apply to

WILLIAM MACNAB,  
Sharebroker, Cromwell;

Or to J. A. STOCKELBERG,  
On the Ground,

As he intends to leave the Province.

## CROMWELL KILWINNING LODGE (C.O.)

The REGULAR MEETING of the above Lodge will be held on WEDNESDAY Evening, the 16th October, at 7.30 sharp. Business: Passings.

By order of the R.W.M.,  
THOMAS MARTIN, Secretary.

## C H U R C H O F E N G L A N D

### S E R V I C E S F O R O C T O B E R

SUNDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 13, at 7 p.m.

SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 27, at 11 a.m.

M. FRAER,

Hon. Sec. and Treasurer.

## New Advertisements.

## CARRICK RANGE WATER SUPPLY COMPANY, REGISTERED.

TENDERERS are invited for the CONSTRUCTION of THREE MILES of the Water Race for the said Company, in accordance with specification to be seen at the Office of the Company, Cromwell, or with the Working Manager, Bannockburn.

Parties may tender for any number of twenty-chain sections.

Sealed tenders to be sent in to the Office of the LEGAL MANAGER before 6 p.m. on SATURDAY, the 12th inst., and to be endorsed "Tender for Water Race."

H. W. SMYTHIES,  
Legal Manager.

Cromwell, Oct. 7, 1872.

## P U B L I C N O T I C E

### Under SECTION I of REGULATION IV.

Whereas I have received sufficient proof that those portions of the Otago Goldfield described in the Schedule hereto are for the whole or greater part of an inferior character as regards the value of their gold deposits: Now, therefore, I hereby give notice that the same may be occupied by holders of miners' rights in claims of the unmentioned size:—

One (1) acre for each holder of a miner's right.

Given under my hand at Cromwell this 1st day of October, 1872.

E. H. CAREW

Warden.

### SCHEDULE.

All that portion of the Otago Goldfield situated at Cromwell Flat, three-quarters of a mile north of the Cromwell Bridge, bounded on the north by Crown lands, on the south by Crown lands, on the east by the Clutha River, and on the west by Crown lands; and comprising two acres.

Also: All that portion of the Otago Goldfield situated on the south branch of the Luggate creek, adjoining the extended claim of Reit and Syper, and being on the western side-line thereof; comprising two acres.

Also: All that portion of the Otago Goldfield situated in Bailey's Gully, and adjoining Riley's old claim on the west side, and bounded on the north, south, and east sides by Crown lands; comprising five acres.

Also: All that portion of the Otago Goldfield situated at Nevis George, three miles above the Nevis township, bounded on the north by the extended claim of Sung Wae and party, south by Crown lands, east by Crown lands, and west by Crown lands; comprising five acres.

And, also: All that portion of the Otago Goldfield comprised within the following boundaries:—Commencing on the east side of the Kawarau River at Stuart's punt, thence by said river to the Kirkeburn, thence by the Kirkeburn to its source on the Mount Pisa Range, thence by the said range to a point due north of the starting-point, and thence to the starting-point.

**A PPLICATION for an EXTENDED CLAIM.**  
Notice is hereby given that application has been made to me by AH PANG to declare that that portion of the Otago Gold-field described in the Schedule hereto annexed may be occupied in Claims of one acre per man under Section 1, Regulation IV., of the Otago Gold-fields Rules and Regulations; and the said application will be heard at Cromwell on THURSDAY, 24th day of October 1872. Elections (if any) to the granting of such application, must be lodged at the Warden's Office Cromwell, within fourteen days from this date.

B. R. BAIRD,

Pro Warden.

Cromwell, October 8, 1872.

### (SCHEDULE)

All that area, containing six acres, situated in Bannockburn Creek, commencing at a point 83 yards due west of Mr Goldsmith's house, thence running north 440 yards, thence west 20 yards, thence south 440 yards, thence east 20 yards to the starting point.

MONDAY, 14th OCTOBER.

at 2 o'clock.

QUARTZ REEF AND MACHINERY, &c.  
at BENDIG GULCH.

By order of the Mortgagors.

**M'LANDRESS, HEPBURN, & CO.**

are instructed to sell by auction at their rooms, Manse-street, DUNEDIN, on MONDAY, 14th October, at 2 o'clock,

The following property of the CARRICK QUARTZ REEF COMPANY:—

1st. All that leasehold property, being section No. 9, block III., Wakefield Dis-

trict, now in the occupation of the Company, being held by them under a lease from Her Majesty the Queen, for seven years from the 27th January, 1872.

2nd. The Water Race rights now used by the Company.

3rd. All the working plant, tools, machinery, &c., now in use by them at the works.

For further particulars, apply to the Auctioneers, or to

Mr HAWKES,  
Manager,  
at the Works.

**THE Thoroughbred ENTIRE HORSE BEDOUIN**

will travel this season in the Cromwell, Dunstan, St. Bathans, and surrounding Districts.

Fee, £3 3s., payable on 1st February, 1873.

Guarantee by special arrangement.

For pedigree and full particulars, see Cards.

## N O T I C E

**A LL Persons having HORSES running on Runs 245 or 310, known as Mount Pisa Station, at this date, must forthwith REGISTER their BRANDS and DESCRIPTION with the Manager, at the Homestead; otherwise such horses will be impounded.**

I. LOUGHMAN,

Mount Pisa, 4th October, 1872.

## In the Estate of WILLIAM SHANLY.

**N O T I C E** is hereby given that unless the outstanding debts due to the above Estate be paid on or before THURSDAY, 17th inst., to the undersigned, LEGAL PROCEEDINGS will then be instituted for the recovery of the same.

WM. SHANLY.

**THE Shareholders in the ADAMS'S GULLY QUARTZ REEF CO.** are requested to attend a meeting, to be held at HAZLITT'S HOTEL, Quartzville, on MONDAY, 14th October, at 7 p.m., to arrange as to the future working of the claim.

JAMES STUART.

HENRICH BEHRENS.

Carrick Range, Oct. 7, 1872.

**COLLEEN BAWN Q.M. COMPANY, REGISTERED.**

An Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, McInnes-street, Cromwell, on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of October current, at 3 p.m.

Business: To elect Directors, and to pass the Bye-laws.

D. MACKELLAR,

Manager.

**STAR OF THE EAST Q.M. COMPANY, REGISTERED.**

### TENDERS REQUIRED FOR

109 PIOPS, not less than 8in. in diameter at the butt, and 6in. at the top, in ten and fifteen feet lengths, at per foot.

100 SLABS, not less than five feet long,

8in. x 2in., at per slab.

50 CAPS, three feet long, 8in. x 4in., at per cap.

May be of Red Birch or Tetsra. To be delivered on claim on or before the 31st inst.

Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, to be sent in not later than SATURDAY, the 12th inst.

D. MACKELLAR,

Manager.

**F O R S A L E**

Section 28, Block III., (one-quarter acre,) Town of Cromwell.

Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4, Hawea Block. The Lostburn, or Jones's Creek, runs through this land, which is also adjacent to the Township of Gladstone.

Tracing to be seen, and particulars obtained from

D. MACKELLAR

**A GRAND CONCERT AND BALL** in aid of the School Fund,

will be held in the

SCHOOL-ROOM, BANNOCKBURN,

ON

FRIDAY, the 18th OCTOBER.

Full programme in next issue.

J. SIMPSON,

Secretary.

## ALBERTOWN RACES.

## SALE BY AUCTION OF "ELSWICK" COLTS.

**G E O R G E F A C H E**, instructed by

HENRY CAMPBELL, Esq., of Lake Wanaka, will sell by public auction on the second day of the races, SATURDAY, the 19th October inst., at 11 a.m. sharp, at the Station,

10 ELSWICK COLTS, two, three, and four

years old; and

A Lot of Good Useful Horses.

**E LIZABETH QUARTZ MINING CO., REGISTERED.**

### TENDERS.

Separate Tenders will be received till TUESDAY, the 16th inst., for SUPPLY OF COALS for TWELVE MONTHS. Delivery at pit mouth, or at Company's coal-shed.

For Specifications, enquire of the Legal Manager, CHAS. COLCLOUGH.

### TO COAL-PIT OWNERS & CARTERS.

**T H E NIL DESPERANDUM Q.M. CO.**, Registered, invite TENDERS for SUPPLY OF COAL to their Machinery in Pipe-line Gully.

For particulars, enquire at the Office of the Manager, Cromwell.

**R EV. G. DRAKE** will preach at the SCHOOLHOUSE BARN, BANNOCKBURN, at half-past three o'clock, p.m., and at CARRINGTON, at half-past seven p.m., NEXT SUNDAY.

## MARSHAGE.

On October 3, at Cromwell, by the Rev. J. Jones, WILLIAM BELL, Bannockburn, to EDWARD GARDNER, BARNES, third daughter of William Barnes, blacksmith, late of Addlestone, Surrey.

**THE SUNDAY SCHOOL FESTIVAL CALENDAR.**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1872.

Work has now fairly begun in connection with the Carrick Race. A number of men are employed upon its construction, and the reports from time to time furnished by the working manager are eminently satisfactory. These afford every reason for the belief that a supply of water will shortly be available for the reef and other working upon the Carrick Range, as well as for the auriferous ground throughout the whole greater part of the Bannockburn district—that is to say, such water will be available as is to be lifted at several points along the line of race within six or eight miles of its present proposed terminus. A supply from these subsidiary sources may be confidently reckoned upon for use during the coming summer. The revenue to be derived from such utilisation will do itself be very considerable; and it is hoped that, with such revenue coming in, the Company will be enabled to carry on the further operations without being necessitated to make

man can doubt that it will command a ready sale, and will yield handsome profits to the Company. Further than this, the benefit that will accrue to the Bannockburn district upon its disposal and as a result of its use, cannot fail to be great: in fact, the one necessity to the successful development of the auriferous workings there has long been admitted to be this very water-supply. And the good which will result directly to the Bannockburn and Carrick Range portions of the district will extend, directly and indirectly, much further. The whole of the Kawarau district will feel it in no slight degree, and the entire Province, also, to an appreciable extent. But all this is simply travelling over old ground: everyone must admit its truth. And we hold that it is the duty—of which the certain favourable character of the monetary results to the shareholders should stimulate the prompt performance—of everyone who has an interest in the district's future, and who at the same time is possessed of the means, to aid, by taking shares in the Company, the inbringing of this race. Many, we are glad to say, have practically exhibited a recognition of their duty in this matter; but there is yet ample scope for further investment. And in this direction there is no time like the present. The Company want money for the further prosecution of the work, and present investment will therefore suit their books; while, as we have shown, there is a sure prospect of a speedy and bountiful return to shareholders upon capital invested.

We may add that the Company's scrip is now being issued.

LAST week, upon receipt of the amended report by Mr MILLAR, F.S.A., upon the "Otago Great Central Trunk Railway," we promised at an early date to express an opinion regarding it. But we find that to some extent such a promise was inconsiderate and hasty. There is really, we think, but little to express an opinion upon, or to criticise, in the report. Now that the Government are pledged to the construction of the line to Turapeka, we presume there can be no occasion for the carrying out of Mr MILLAR's plan of a railway from Waipuhi, via Tapanui, to the Teviot: any line to the latter place will in all likelihood be simply an extension or continuation of that to Lawrence. As regards the second and third sections of Mr MILLAR's report,—viz., upon a railway from the Teviot to Cromwell, and upon "branchlets"—first to St. Bathans, Naseby, &c., second from Cromwell to Lakes Hawea and Wanaka, and third from Cromwell to Queenstown,—we are perfectly convinced of the feasibility of their construction, but of their payable nature, when constructed, we have grave doubts. They are in advance of the age, and, so far as we can see, are not likely to be undertaken for a very long time. Mr MILLAR, it is evident, has not traversed the whole of the ground, nor visited all the localities, of which his report treats. His geography is faulty. For instance, he speaks of the Nevis as one of the "townships to be embraced" by his "branchlet" from Cromwell to Queenstown. To anyone who knows the district, this is an absurdity. There are other mistakes of a like nature; but perhaps such errors of fact are in Mr MILLAR's estimation of little moment in a report upon so gigantic a scheme as this.

TELEGRAMS TO DUNEDIN PAPERS STATE:—  
86 tons of stone from the Little Wonder claim at Lyell yielded 85 tons of melted gold. The trial crushing of stone from the Inglewood claim, Inangahua, yielded 53 ounces of gold from 27 tons of stone. The second crushing of the United Band of Hope claim, also at Inangahua, yielded 41 ozs. 15 dwt. of gold from 31½ tons of stone.

At the last meeting of the Waste Land Board in Dunedin, the following matters were brought up for consideration:—Mr James M. Brown applied for leave to survey a quarter of an acre of land around his house, near block XII, Cromwell. The decision on the application was postponed, and it was resolved to recommend the Government to lay off the whole of the township on a plan.—The Secretary of the School Committee at Bannockburn applied for a grant of two acres as a reserve for school purposes, and enclosed the same to the Board. The application was referred to the Education Board.

For the seat in the House of Representatives for Elgin, vacated by the resignation of Mr Gisborne, Major Atkinson has been returned, having received 43 votes, while his opponent, Mr Macrae, received 17. The former is a supporter of the Stafford party.

The thoroughbred entire horse Badogin is to travel this season in this neighbourhood, and towards Blenheim in St. Bathans. His high-class pedigree is a guarantee that he is a decided acquisition to the blood-sires of the district.

The owners of Kawarau and Mount Pisgah stations notify by advertisements that all persons having horses departing on those runs will require to register their brands and descriptions with the respective managers at once. Non-compliance with this reasonable requirement will cause needless trouble and expense to those concerned.

On Friday last his Worship the Mayor (who was then in Oamaru) sent us the enclosed telegram for public information:—"The rush to Charters Towers (Leavenworth) is a complete failure, and the miners who were there are returning disgusted. The Victorian Government has been asked to provide return passages for those who left that Colony for Charters Towers."

The rider attached to the verdict of the jury at the inquest on the remains of Thomas Hutton, very properly suggests that stringent regulations should be framed and enforced for the management and regulation of ferry punts. It appears that there is an Act of the General Assembly,—"The Bridges and Ferries Act, 1833," and Amendment Act, 1859,—which can be brought into operation in any Province or district by proclamation, and that power is given to make regulations for the management of punts. The fact that at one of our principal ferries, within a few months, two valuable lives have been sacrificed for want of ordinary precaution, should be a sufficient argument in favour of the Government carrying out the suggestion referred to.

In a late Thames paper, we noticed that the result of the Heart of Oak crushing was falsely telegraphed as having been 67 ounces from 212 tons of stone. The truth of the matter is that the amount of gold was 237 ounces. This mistake was bad enough in all conscience; but the distance the message had to traverse perhaps relieves the blunder of great censure. But we confess to a feeling of astonishment and annoyance when we read in the *Tinakori Herald* a telegram from Dunedin that "the crushing of the Star of the East was 32 ounces from 169 tons,"—while, as our readers know, 121 ounces was the result in reality. Considering that Timaru is but just on the confines of the Province, surely such an egregious falsity as this is deserving of serious reprobation. It would be well that greater care were evinced by the telegraph clerks, who, we presume, must be to blame in the matter.

It will be noticed by advertisement that a sale of Elswick colts, the property of H. Campbell, Esq., is to be held by Mr George Fache upon the second day of the Albertown Races, at Wanaka Station. It is seldom such an opportunity is offered of securing that scarce commodity, a sound, serviceable, and well-bred horse.

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#### MINING SHARE MARKET.

Mr CHAS. COLELOUGH, sharebroker, reports:—

The absence of anything like animation has been noticeable since my last report, and sales within my knowledge have been trifling. A considerable parcel of Elizabeths have changed hands at 6½s., and I am unable to do business in them under 6½s. 6d. Stars still command L.5, and show no disposition to decline. Heart of Oaks are in favour: very few shares are offering; they are quoted at L.6 10s. Nil Desperandum are not moving, as holders wait for a crushing, the mill being nearly completed. Robert Burns' scrip do not command the attention they deserve, considering the facilities for cheap crushing possessed by the mine; they are nominal at 7s. 6d. Standards have been offered at L.3 3s.: no buyers. The John Bull Company (unregistered) appear to possess a valuable reef.—L.50 for a twenty-fourth was offered and refused. The Golden Link, Beadigo, will shortly be in scrip, which is certain to be eagerly sought after by those desiring steady dividends. The Colelough mine is changing its proprietary, and scrip will probably be issued at L.3. The Cromwell Company continues to maintain its high character, and if divided into shares would doubtless command a high figure. Carrick Water Co.'s shares are commanding attention. The initiation of work has directed favourable attention to this scheme, and the work is proceeding vigorously. The New Zealand Submarine Company has not found favour in this district equal to that accorded to it at Clyde and Queenstown, although there is every prospect that the plan could be favourably adopted in this neighbourhood.

A miner named John Cloke, while at work in his staking-claim at Adam's Gully on Wednesday last, had one of his legs fractured by a fall of earth from the "face." The sufferer was removed to the Dunstan Hospital on Thursday, and is now progressing favourably towards recovery.

Mr Henry Driver has been elected for Taieri without opposition, in the room of Mr Macrae.

We observe that the Bannockburn School Committee have announced another entertainment consisting of a concert and ball, for the benefit of the institution under their management. The date fixed upon is the 18th instant, and the programme will appear in our next issue.

The Albertown Race programme will be found in our third page.

#### TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

#### Defeat of the Stafford Ministry.

DUNEDIN,

SATURDAY, 11.51 a.m.

The "no confidence" resolution was moved last night by Mr Vogel, in a speech of over two hours' duration.

Mr Stafford at once rose and said that if the question were not debated, Mr Vogel would be debarred the right of reply, and a division could be taken at once.

Mr Fox complained of his party being taken by surprise through the division being pressed without any debate.

The Speaker left the chair for the usual twenty minutes. On the House resuming, the division was taken, and the motion declared carried by a majority of two. The division list is as follows:

Ayes, 37:

Messrs Andrew

Bathgate

Blunt

Brown, J. E.

Cairnion

Creighton

Fox

Henderson

Hinton

Jackson

Katene

Kelly, T.

Kelly, W.

Lodge

Macindrew

M'Glashan

M'Gillivray

M'Lean

O'Neill

Ormond

O'Rorke

Parata

Parker, C.

Peacock

Pearce

Reeves

Reynolds

Rhodes

Richardson E.

Seymour

Shephard, J.

Shephard, T.L.

Steward

Stadholme

Taiaroa

Tribe

Vogel

Noes, 35:

Messrs Bradshaw

Brown, J. C.

Brunton

Bryce

Buckland

Bunny

Cader

Clark

Coliss

Curtis

Fitzherbert

Gillies

Hallenstein

Ingles

Johnston

Kawatiana

Kenny

M'Leod

Monro, Sir D.

Munto

Murray

O'Connor

Parker, G. B.

Reid

Richardson R.

Rolleston

Sheehan

Stafford

Swanson

Thomson

Wakefield

White

Williamson

Wilson, J. C.

Wood

PRS:—Noes: Messrs Mervyn and Webster. Ayes: Messrs Harrison and Tolmie.

TUESDAY, 9 A.M.

In the House of Representatives on Thursday night, the Speaker read a letter from Mr Harrison to the effect that Captain Holt, Brogden's private secretary, at an interview with him (Harrison), had made him an offer of remuneration on behalf of Messrs Brogden, if he would use his services as a journalist and as a member of the House, to further the interests of the Brogden firm. The matter excited great indignation in the House. On the following day letters were read in the House from Mr Brogden and Capt. Holt. Brogden states that Holt was never authorised to make any offer whatever to Harrison for the use of his services as a journalist; and Holt, while admitting co-operation with Harrison with respect to use of latter's journalistic services in connection with proposals now under consideration for railway water-races, &c., indignantly repudiated having attempted to induce Harrison to prostrate his political position.

Telegrams from Wellington state that his Honor the Superintendent has dismissed Mr Reid from the Provincial Executive.

#### DUNEDIN NOTES.

By O. P. Q.

The clag of the fire-bell awakened the citizens from their slumbers about half-past one o'clock on Tuesday morning, and people in nearly every part of the city were able to discern where the fire was burning without having to inquire, as is frequently the case. An immense column of flame towering high in the air, in the North-East Valley direction, lit up the sky of that portion of the city, and gave evidence that some large building was burning fiercely. Troops of men, women, and children were soon hurrying down George and Great King streets, and on a run, within a short distance of Mr George Duncan's flour mills, and the brewery of Messrs Wilson and Macloch, which immediately adjoin each other, it became apparent that the fire was rapidly doing its fatal work with those buildings. The fire raged furiously for some time before the Beldam armful, and all hopes of saving the greater portion of the brewery buildings were abandoned, and they speedily succumbed to the flames.

The arrival of the Brigade upon the scene however, changed the aspect of affairs, and although Mr Duncan's big three-story building had reached the near-to-top, and its destruction seemed almost certain, a well-directed and powerful stream of water from the engine soon made its way evident. The portion of Mr Duncan's premises destroyed was detached from the main building, the intervening space being filled up by the huge water-wheel. This was whirled at its top speed, and made a geyser-like effect of the conflagration. Messrs Wils and Macloch will suffer most heavily by fire, as they are only in

sured to a small extent in comparison with their loss.

Trade strikes seem to be all the rage just now. Every home now brings intelligence of the occurrence of a strike among artisans of one description or another in England and Scotland; and now New Zealand is having a turn at the popular mode adopted by workmen to express their idea of the inadequate remuneration they receive for their labour. Christchurch, Wellington, and Auckland have all had a taste of the strike movement during the past few months, and now the carpenters at work on the large Immigration Building which are being erected at Caversham have struck for eleven shillings per day. Whether they will have conceded to them the extra shilling per day for which they are striking is doubtful; but I imagine not. A rise in "screw" is not the usual thing now-a-days in any branch of business, and trade stands at present I can't see how they've got the conscience to expect it.

Two of the large six-oared whale-boats stationed on the coast visited the Upper Harbour the other day, with their full crews of stalwart Maori oarsmen, who gave us a specimen of their rowing ability in a friendly race from one of the jetties to the large red beacon at the end of the training wall and back. After rounding the beacon in a masterly style, a splendid race home took place, and George Robertson—better known as "Buccaneer"—led (if the expression is applicable to a water-contest) his crew the winner by about three-quarters of a boat's length.

Our Municipal Corporation is increasing its rental in a very satisfactory manner, by the leasing of municipal sections which have up to the present remained unproductive; and the very largely increased value of the municipal estate has been shown by the high prices brought by a number of sections the leases of which were sold by auction on Monday at the rooms of Messrs McLandress Hepburn, and Co. The yearly rentals realised were from £8 to £15 10s., although the sections are all of a very inferior description, being situated on the face of a very steep hill, and some of them practically of very little use whatever. A large number of the leases of sections in the business portion of the city will shortly expire, and many of them now being very valuable sites, no doubt great competition will take place when the sections are again submitted to auction.

Mr Macassey has resigned his seat as representative of the Waikari district in the Provincial Council. His short political life has been anything but a brilliant one. As a member of the Provincial Council he displayed very little of the ability which he has shown himself to possess as a member of the legal profession. In fact, altogether his local political career, and the rather humiliating defeats he has experienced in his repeated strenuous endeavours to obtain a seat in the Colonial Legislature, present a very marked and unflattering contrast to his professional success. Mr Henry Driver is the only candidate yet in the field for the vacant seat, and his candidature has of course given rise to uncharitable remarks to the effect that Mr Macassey has been acting in the capacity of a "warming-pan" to the former gentleman. These accusations Mr Macassey has indignantly repudiated; and Mr Driver has also stated that he not only did not wish Mr Macassey to resign, but that he urged that gentleman to retain his seat as member for the district. Waikari and Mr Driver, however, are words that have become so intimately associated with each other, that the district is looked upon as a sort of pocket borough, to be given to whomsoever Mr Driver chooses.

His Honor the



## PROVINCIAL AND COLONIAL

A fire brigade has been established in Lawrence.

A shipload of Scandinavians have arrived in Hawke's Bay.

The Supreme Court was to be opened in Dunedin yesterday.

The Dunedin Spring Race Meeting is to be held on November 30.

Two bear cubs have been imported to Canterbury from Canada.

Hop-culture is about to be commenced in the Wanganui district.

Fever is rife at present in Christchurch and the country round about.

Mr Vogel has been asked to stand for the superintendency of Auckland.

Mr Macassey has resigned his seat for Waikari in the Provincial Council.

The Wellington cabmen are on strike, and the Christchurch carpenters threaten one:

The Australian Eucalyptus, or "blue gum," is said to be making its way all over the world.

At Auckland, a man has died from the effects of a fall while attempting to throw a chair at his wife.

The third crushing of the Ajax Shield Co., at Reefton, yielded 600 ounces of gold from 300 tons of stone.

As a sign of the dullness presently pervading Reefton, it is mentioned that but one lawyer is resident there.

Last year, 36,770 gallons of spirits manufactured in N.Z. were exported, the duty on which amounted to £10,731.

Twenty Leicester rams, chiefly the property of Mr R. M'Moran, were worried to death near Arrowtown the other day.

The Tuapeka Times urges a conference—to be held in Lawrence, of course,—of delegates from the various Mining Associations.

Tauranga news says that Mr Morrison, a publican, has gone to interview his Maori majesty, to obtain his consent to prospect for gold.

Two Blue Spur companies are to have a case in the Lawrence Supreme Court in December, in which the damages are laid at £6000.

A sample of black sand, found within six miles of the Bluff, yielded upon analysis by Professor Black 58 per cent. of metallic platinum.

The Colonial Government, it is said, intend spending £60,000 upon the construction of the Tuapeka railway during the next twelve months.

According to the Nelson Examiner, it is rumoured that Mr Vogel will be taken in hand by Jewish friends, and helped into the British parliament.

In urging upon the Government the other day the appointment of a Minister of Mines, Mr Mervyn said he thought Mr Curtis was well qualified for the office.

A Maori recently died in the Auckland Province who distinctly remembered having been taken off while a child to see the ship of the "great navigator," Captain Cook.

A perfect fossil oyster has been found while sinking a shaft in a coal-pit at Green Island, at a depth of about eighty feet from the surface, embedded in grey sandstone rock.

Messrs Ormond and McLean, late Ministers, have commenced an action against the Wellington Evening Post for a libel contained in a Maori letter published by that paper.

Mr Horace Bastings, late Mayor of Lawrence, has been presented by the Town Council with a very handsome address; and by the townspeople, with a silver tea and coffee service.

A quicksilver mine is reported to have been discovered about twenty miles north of the Bay of Islands, near an old crater. A quantity of the mineral has been sent to the Thames to be tested.

It was stated, in a recent issue of the Australasia, that the Llanberis Company, at Ballarat, had crushed 3000 tons of quartz, averaging only 2dwt. 4½d. per ton, and yet had made a profit of £150.

The library in connection with the Thames Mechanics' Institute has, for some time past, been opened for a few hours upon Sunday afternoons. It is proposed now to open the reading-room on Sunday evening.

The existence of large animals in the upland lakes of Tasmania is thought by Mr C. Gould, F.G.S., to be "a good and substantial foundation for the Bunyip stories." He thinks the animals are fresh-water seals.

There are now open in New Zealand 2135 miles of telegraph,—in all, 3823 miles of wire. The cost of their erection, together with the cost of the submarine cable between the two islands, has been £187,072 19s. 2d.

A piece of ground in Melbourne, having a frontage of 30 feet, with a depth of 156 feet, was disposed of at the enormous price of £370 a foot, or £11,100 for the 80 feet. Undoubtedly this is the highest price ever paid for land in any of the Colonies.

An interesting controversy is now being carried on at the Thames, between the Rev. James Buller and a writer in the Evening Star styling himself "Histrionastix," on the effect of theatres. The clergyman, of course, takes the rather narrow-minded view that theatre-going is productive of wickedness in every variety; while the other is much more liberal.

We (*Sydney Morning Herald*) have been requested by the Colonial Secretary to publish for general information the following telegram received from the Government of South Australia:—"Chief Secretary, Adelaide, to Colonial Secretary, Sydney. It is absolutely necessary that you should warn persons leaving your ports for the Northern Territory, that there are no means of conveying them from the sea-board to the reported goldfields, and that there is no stock of provisions in the country upon which people can rely for support."

## The Martin's Bay Settlement.

(*Waikato Mail*.)

Mr W. H. Homer has come from the West Coast, and from that unfortunate settlement, Martin's Bay. He has, as the Yankees say, wired his way through an unpleasant route therefrom. The settlement was destitute of provisions. The way in which the settlement has been neglected appears to have been most disgraceful. It was one of Mr Macandrew's pet schemes to colonise that part of the out-coasts of Otago; whilst the Government of New Zealand, both general and provincial, have recognised the necessity of settlement in this direction. Very tempting terms indeed were offered, and accepted by persons willing to labour in making the wilderness a garden. Martin's Bay, we have said, has thus been colonised. It possesses many natural advantages, and has all its residents wish, but one thing,—and that is, easier access with the commercial world. This young community have not yet been able to erect flour mills, or grow enough beef and mutton to supply their requirements. They therefore depend upon the trading steamer. Mr Homer further says that the women and children have been driven down to the sea coast to seek mussels upon which to subsist. We do not vouch for the entire truthfulness of this statement, but have every reason to be satisfied with the credibility of our informant.

We understand that the authorities of Otago were telegraphed to some time ago, and asked, by Mr Bonar, of Westland, whether the Waipara steamer should extend her trip to Martin's Bay. The reply was, that, when required, they (the Otago Government) would send word. Now, it is a well-known fact that these West Coast settlements require and demand care and nurture. Promises have been made, and they, at least, should be redeemed. The Government have a right to do more than assist the colonists in their early struggle, and it should also be their pleasure to do so. The result of this last shameful neglect is that a community of some fifty persons has again been driven to the first stage of starvation. For some weeks past, one family, at least, has been weighing out flour at the rate of one and a half ounces per diem, and have had no other food but fish—when obtainable—or fern. We make the Government a present of these statements, as disgraceful to themselves as the ruling powers, and to ourselves as colonists.

## What Greeley Did.

From a laughable electioneering squib in an American paper—which supposes Greeley already elected President, and details his proceedings—we take the following:—

As soon as he reached the executive mansion, which we used to call the White House, President Greeley organised an army of two hundred thousand men, and proceeded to force the entire population of the seaboard States westward at the point of the bayonet. The utmost violence was used. Those who resisted were shot down, and their dead bodies were carried off to a national factory which the President had established for making some kind of fertiliser. All the large cities of the east were depopulated, and the towns were entirely empty. The army swept before it millions of men, women, and children, until the vast plains west of Kansas were reached, when the pursuit ceased and the army was drawn up in a continuous line, with orders to shoot any person who attempted to visit the east. Of course hundreds of thousands of these poor creatures perished from starvation. This seemed to frighten President Greeley, and he sent in a message to Congress, recommending that seven hundred thousand volumes of a book of his, entitled "What I know about Farming," should be voted for the relief of the starving sufferers. This was done, and farming implements and seeds were supplied; and the millions of the wretched outcasts made an effort to till the ground. Of the result of this I will speak further on. In the meantime the President was doing infinite harm in another way. His handwriting was so fearfully and wonderfully bad that no living man could read it. And so, when he sent his first annual Message to Congress—the document was devoted wholly to the tariff and agriculture—a sentence appeared, which subsequently was ascertained to be, "Large cultivation of rutabagas and beans is the only hope of the American nation, I am sure." The printer, not being able to interpret this, put it in the following form, in which form it went forth to the world—"The Czar of Russia couldn't keep clean if he washed with the whole Atlantic Ocean once a day!" This perversion of the Message was at once telegraphed to Russia by the Russian Minister, and the Czar was so indignant that he immediately declared war. Just at this time President Greeley undertook to write some letters to Prince Bismarck upon the potato rot, and after giving his singular views at great length, he concluded with the statement that if the Emperor William said that subsoil ploughing was not good in light soils, or that guano was better than bone dust, he was a "liar, a villain, and a slave!" Of course the Emperor also immediately declared war, and became an ally of Russia and of England, against which latter country Mr Greeley had actually begun hostilities already, because the Queen, in her speech from the throne, had declared the *Tribune's* advocacy of a tariff on pig-iron incendiary and calculated to disturb the peace of nations. Unhappily this was not the full measure of our sasters. The President had sent to the Emperor of Austria a copy of his book, "What I Know," &c., with his autograph written upon a fly-leaf. The Emperor mis-

took the signature for a caricature of the Austrian eagle, and he readily joined in a war against the United States; while France was provoked to the same act by the fact that when the French Minister came to call upon Mr Greeley to present his credentials, the President, who was writing an editorial at the time, not comprehending the French language, mistook the Ambassador for a beggar, and without looking up, handed him a "quarter" and an order for a clean shirt, and said to him, "Go West, young man—go West." So all these nations joined in making war upon the United States. They swooped down upon our coasts, and landed without opposition; for those exposed portions of our country were absolutely deserted. The President was afraid to call away the army from Kansas at first, for fear the outraged people upon the plains would come East in spite of him. But at last he did summon the army to his aid, and it moved to meet the enemy. It was too late! Before the troops reached Cincinnati the foreigners had seized Washington and all the country East of the Ohio, and had hung the President, the Cabinet, and every member of Congress. The army disbanded in alarm, and the invaders moved to the Far West, where they found the population dying of starvation because they had followed the advice of Greeley's book: "Try, for your first crop, to raise lima beans: and don't plant more than a bushel of quick-lime in a hill!" Of course these wretched people were at the mercy of the enemy, who—to their credit be it said—treated them kindly, fed them, and brought them back to their old homes. You know what followed—how Prince Frederick William of Prussia ascended the American throne, and the other humiliations that ensued. It was a fearful blow to Republicanism—a blow from which it will never recover. It made us, who were freemen, a nation of slaves. It was all the result of our blind confidence in a misguided old man who was actually a fool. May heaven preserve you, my children, from the remorse I feel when I remember that I voted for the bucolic old eltor.

## Walking on the Sabbath.

It must really very difficult, says the *Pall Mall Budget*, for the best intentioned Scotchman to please the Sabbatharians of the country to whom he belongs, unless during the whole of Sunday he lies on his back in a state of perfect stagnation. They object to riding or driving, and they also strongly protest against walking; it is therefore obvious that if every one acted in accordance with their views all locomotion would be impossible on the Sabbath, and what would become of the country is hard to tell. This difficulty stares them in the face, and they are now, it seems, busy devising some substitute for walking which will enable people to get about without breaking the Sabbath; probably in the end they will find themselves compelled to allow crawling on all fours or rolling, and it is evident from a discussion which took place at meeting of the General Assembly of the Free Church last Saturday that some such indulgence is in contemplation as a matter of necessity. After the report of the committee on Sabbath observance had been read, Major Ross, elder of Aberdeen, moved its approval by the Assembly, and in the course of his observations remarked:—"In regard to walking on the Sabbath, that was a point which, he thought, they ought to approach with great caution and care in the Assembly. He would say that there must be some substitute devised. He did not defend Sabbath walking, but there were many persons with whom was the fault of the heart; and they must get something to put in substitution for it before they actually went and said to those persons 'You must not do that,' otherwise they might drive a number of individuals back to dirty and squalid houses—individuals who, if not walking out, might perhaps be driving at home."

Dr Thomas Smith followed in the same strain, and was half inclined to permit walking on Sundays for the present, provided that it was conducted with a solemn deportment. To walking on Sunday he confessed that he could not set himself in absolute opposition but the gathering in the meadows,

for example, of people who had no family relationship each other, made the scene one—if not of exactly—at least of merriment.

He knew, so, that in not a few cases people lay in the beds all Sabbath reading comparatively low publications—publications which were utterlunited for Sunday reading, which, indeed, was unprofitable reading at any time."

It is indeed a most difficult question to decide what is to be done on Sundays with vast numbers of idle people denied the privilege of using the limbs, and even when this is settled there remains the more awkward question of theirings. Sabbath breaking, it is to be feared, evails to an awful exteat.

Mr H. D. Mylne has been appointed the Warden of the Northern Territory.

The Mountupper-mine, South Australia, has paid £1,200 in dividends during the last six months.

Five young men have been arrested and remanded, on a charge of rape upon a servant girl, named Muriel Reilly, at North Shore, Sydney.

The reports from Port Darwin are satisfactory. A trial ending yielded 6dwt. of gold from 100oz. of quartz. Nothing, however, can be done with machinery.

The ocean race Melbourne between the steamers *Northland* and *Great Britain* caused some excitement. The result was in favour of the latter,—the respective times being 54 and 52 da.

## The No-Confidence Debate.

The *Nelson Colonist* gives the following figures, shewing the number of members who spoke, the time each consumed in speaking, and generally the duration of the debate on Mr Stafford's resolutions:—

Wednesday, August 21.

	H. M.	H. M.	
Stafford	1 29	Bunny	0 35
Fox	1 5	Parata	0 12
Reid	1 15	Tribe	0 20
M'Gillivray	0 15		

Thursday, August 22.

Reeves	1 5	Reynolds	0 25
Curtis	0 40	Murray	0 50
Bathurst	1 15	Steward	0 35
Collins	1 50	Swanson	0 15
Katene	0 20		

Friday, August 23.

M'Lean	1 0	Gillies	1 40
Creighton	0 49	Giborne	0 55
Tukumanoa	0 27	Reader Wood	0 55
Tairoa	0 15		

Tuesday, August 27.

Macandrew	0 39	Colleton	0 45
Wakefield	2 45	Richards n. E.	0 30
Carrington	0 10	Johnston	0 27
Bryce	0 25	Peacock	0 13
Bluett	0 45		

Wednesday, August 28.

Sir D. Monro	0 53	White	1 25
Luckie	0 35	Vogel	4 45
Fitzherbert	8 25	Sir J. C. Wilson	1 0
Kelly, T.	0 25	Henderson	0 15

Tuesday, September 3.

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it is sometimes only believed to be real when  
the patient is found to be dying or dead. The  
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disorder no outward sign of weakness. The suf-  
fers are found in both sexes; they often have  
the bloom of health upon the cheek; they are  
surrounded by kind friends, yet existence to  
them has no charms, for they feel that they can-  
not enjoy it. Without intending it, they annoy  
other people about the merest trifles; if they  
encounter some person unexpectedly, they feel  
confused, afraid, and alarmed; the heart beats  
violently, the hand shakes when writing, and  
the whole frame at times experiences a complete  
tremulousness. The intellect also is sometimes  
clouded, the memory fails, the judgment becomes  
indistinct, the will capricious and undecided,  
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How all important it is to check the first  
departure from health! all may do so by taking  
Holloway's Pills, without risk or restriction.

In all diseases affecting the blood, nerves, and  
muscles, or in cases of fever, sore throat, colds,  
coughs, asthma, and shortness of breath, the  
earlier they are taken the better.

## Children's Complaints.

Diseases incidental to children, such as feve-  
ish attacks, scarlet fever, measles, and all dis-  
eases of the skin, may be immediately checked,  
and soon cured, by the purifying Pills, which  
may be reduced to a powder, and given in doses  
of one, two, or three nightly, according to the  
age of the sufferer. Holloway's Pill is a  
soothing, cooling, and healing, and is better  
adapted than any other remedy for all eye  
ailments.

## Indigestion, Bile, and Sick Headaches.